

## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

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For:

METHOD FOR FORMING BUMP, SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MAKING THE SAME, CIRCUIT BOARD, AND ELECTRONIC DEVICE

## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

As supplement to the Amendment filed February 20, 2003, please further amend the

above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please replace claim 1:

1. (Amended) A method for forming a bump, comprising:

forming a resist layer that defines a through hole which overlaps at least a portion of a pad;

forming an opening in an insulating film after forming the resist layer, the opening exposing at least a part of the pad;

forming a metal layer after forming the opening, the metal layer connected to the portion of the pad exposed at the opening; and

forming a bump connected to the pad after forming the metal layer.

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